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I strongly protest the creation of a nuclear repository at Yucca Mountain less than a 100 miles from Las Vegas. I moved here from California to retire eleven years ago; I considered this the most excitable and enjoyable city in the U.S., if not in the world. To think our government would want to threaten our safety and security with the placement of a nuclear repository only 80 miles from our beautiful city.

~~This is the worse case of government using the big stick tactic deny-~~  
ing or taking away our constitutional rights. Citizens should, not only should but constitutionally have the right to vote to decide if they want this thing in our state or not. Earthquakes have occurred in the area, also ground water could be poisoned. Any type of a catastrophe there would make this a ghost city. The risk is just too great. No, I don't want it and I'm sure any sane person wouldn't want it in their back yard.

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